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Hon. Stephen C. Robinson, U.S.D.J.
United States Courthouse
300 Quarropas Street
White Plains, New York 10601

MEMO ENDORSED

Re: United States of America v. Peper, et al.
07 CIV 9835 (SCR)

Dear Judge Robinson:

We represent the defendants William J. Peper, III and Nancy Peper-Armano in connection with the referenced matter. Our notices of appearance were entered today via the ECF system. Courtesy copies are enclosed herein. Please consider this letter a written request to extend the time to answer on behalf of each defendant to February 8, 2008. We have consulted with AUSA Robert W. Yalen, who indicated his consent to this request. This is the first such request of this nature for each defendant.

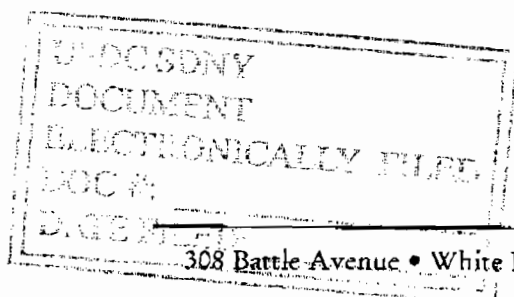
Respectfully,
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APPLICATION GRANTED

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